Daily Digest

Highlights

House Committee ordered reported the Defense and Military Construction appropriations for fiscal year 2003.

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Four bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2669–2672, and S. Res. 289–290.

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Measures Reported:

- S. 214, to elevate the position of Director of the Indian Health Service within the Department of Health and Human Services to Assistant Secretary for Indian Health. (S. Rept. No. 107–170)
- S. 1768, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to implement the Calfed Bay-Delta Program, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 107–171)
- H.R. 308, to establish the Guam War Claims Review Commission. (S. Rept. No. 107–172)
- H.R. 309, to provide for the determination of withholding tax rates under the Guam income tax. (S. Rept. No. 107–173)
- S. 803, to enhance the management and promotion of electronic Government services and processes by establishing a Federal Chief Information Officer within the Office of Management and Budget, and by establishing a broad framework of measures that require using Internet-based information technology to enhance citizen access to Government information and services, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 107–174)
- S. 2452, to establish the Department of National Homeland Security and the National Office for Combating Terrorism, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 107–175)

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Measures Passed:

French Heritage Month: Senate agreed to S. Res. 290, expressing the sense of the Senate regarding the designation of June 24, 2002 through July 24, 2002 as French Heritage Month (Le Mois De L'Heritage Français).

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National Defense Authorization Act: Senate continued consideration of S. 2514, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2003 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto:

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Adopted:

By a unanimous vote of 93 yeas (Vote No. 161), Smith (NH) Amendment No. 3969, to impose certain prohibitions and requirements relating to the wearing of abayas by members of the Armed Forces in Saudi Arabia.

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Pending:

Kennedy Amendment No. 3918, to provide for equal competition in contracting.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at 10:30 a.m., on Tuesday, June 25, 2002. Page \$5967

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Privilege of the Floor: Page \$5966

Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—161)

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Adjournment: Senate met at 3 p.m., and adjourned at 8:08 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Tuesday, June 25, 2002. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page \$5967).

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Measures Introduced: 8 public bills, H.R. 5002–5009; and 3 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 424, and H. Res. 455–456 were introduced. **Page H3859**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 3786, to revise the boundary of the Glen Canyon National Recreation Area in the States of Utah and Arizona, amended (H. Rept. 107–523);

H.R. 2982, to authorize the establishment of a memorial within the area in the District of Columbia referred to in the Commemorative Works Act as "Area I" or "Area II" to the victims of terrorist attacks on the United States, to provide for the design and construction of such a memorial, amended (H. Rept. 107–524);

H.R. 4477, to amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to crimes involving the transportation of persons and sex tourism, amended (H. Rept. 107–525);

H.R. 4623, to prevent trafficking in child pornography and obscenity, to proscribe pandering and solicitation relating to visual depictions of minors engaging in sexually explicit conduct, to prevent the use of child pornography and obscenity to facilitate crimes against children, amended (H. Rept. 107–526);

H.R. 4679, to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide a maximum term of supervised release of life for child sex offenders, amended (H. Rept. 107–527); and

H.R. 4858, to improve access to physicians in medically underserved areas (H. Rept. 107–528).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Issa to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Recess: The House recessed at 12:45 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. Page H3828

Recess: The House recessed at 2:33 p.m. and reconvened at 6:02 p.m. Page H3833

Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Cibola National Wildlife Refuge, California Boundary Adjustment: H.R. 3937, amended, to revoke a Public Land Order with respect to certain lands erroneously included in the Cibola National Wildlife Refuge, California (agreed to by a yea-andnay vote of 375 yeas with none voting "nay," Roll No. 249);

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Glen Canyon National Recreation Area Boundary Revision: H.R. 3786, amended, to revise the boundary of the Glen Canyon National Recreation Area in the States of Utah and Arizona (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 374 yeas with none voting "nay," Roll No. 250); Pages H3830–31, H3837–38

New River Gorge, National River West Virginia Boundary Adjustment: H.R. 3858, to modify the boundaries of the New River Gorge National River, West Virginia; Page H3831

Investigation of Forest Service Firefighter Deaths: H.R. 3971, to provide for an independent investigation of Forest Service firefighter deaths that are caused by wildfire entrapment or burnover (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 377 yeas with none voting "nay," Roll No. 251);

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Congratulating the Navy League on its Centennial: H. Con. Res. 416, congratulating the Navy League of the United States on the occasion of the centennial of the organization's founding; and

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Official Flag of the Medal of Honor: H.J. Res. 95, amended, designating an official flag of the Medal of Honor and providing for presentation of that flag to each recipient of that Medal of Honor